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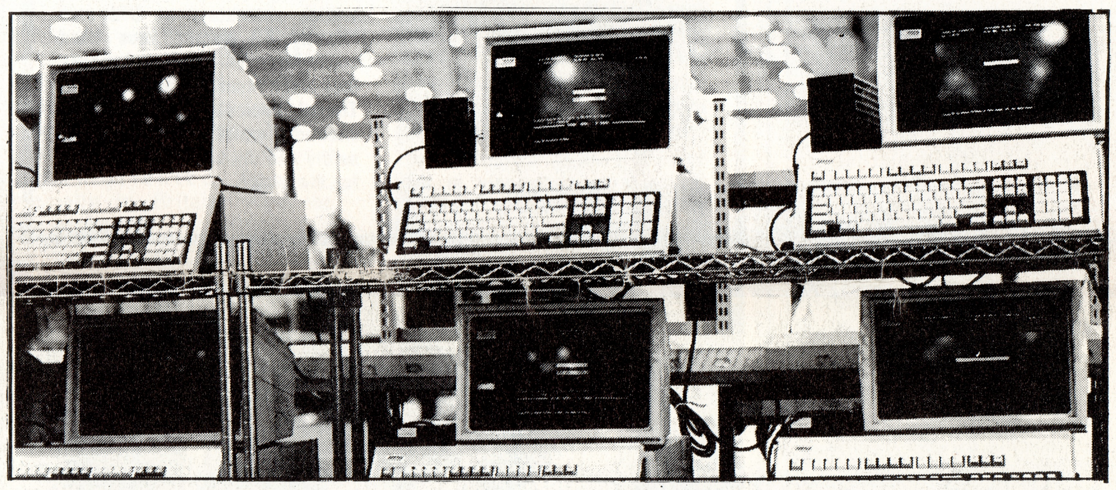
BRITAIN'S COMPUTER INDUSTRY

by Steve Brady

BRITAIN INVENTED THE electronic computer. Yet after the recent takeover of ICL by the Japanese Company Fujitsu, the British-owned computer industry is dead. The greatest growth industry of the coming century will be closed to the nation who founded it. Such is the appalling state Tory and Labour governments have allowed what was once Britain's brightest industrial hope to sink into.



• **COMPUTERS:** *The greatest growth industry of the coming century will be closed to the nation who founded it.*

The foreign conquest of British computing has been advancing remorselessly in recent years while the Government does nothing. Of former leading British computer firms Transputer was taken over by a French-Italian consortium, Acorn by Italians Olivetti, Ferranti has stopped making computers and GEC computers has simply ceased to exist.

Earlier this year, Japanese company, Mitsubishi gobbled up Apricot Computers dirt cheap for £39 million. Inmos is owned now by France's Thomson and Plessey by Germany's Siemens. Amstrad is owned by cosmopolitan Alan Sugar and much of its hardware is made in Taiwan.

Among British software companies, which sell programs for computers rather than the machine themselves, the position is just as grim. GEC's Lord Weinstock has sold his company's 70% interest in Hoskyns to France's CAP Gemini Sogatti for £199 million. Data Logic is owned by the Americans, whilst Sema is French-controlled. Thorn EMI is currently trying to sell its software houses Datasolve, Software Sciences and Thorn EMI Computer Software. BIS and Case are also foreign owned.

That left only ICL, Britain's leading computer makers. They were doing really well, too. Europe's most profitable computer company, last year making pre-tax profits of £145.7 million *on sales of £1.6 billion.* But under the present shareholder system of industrial ownership, even success could not save ICL from foreign sharks.

ICL's owner, STC, decided it needed to make a fast buck. So it flogged ICL to the Japs on the cheap. ICL is valued at between £900 million and £1.5 billion. Fujitsu picked it up for just £743 million.

Unions and British computer pundits alike were outraged that the Government just sat back and let this foreign piracy of our computer industry happen. Union spokesmen representing the British workers whose livelihoods have been sold to the Japs said the ICL sellout meant **"The end of the British computer industry"**. *Computer Weekly* columnist John Riley said the week of the ICL sellout marked **"the end of the independent UK IT (information technology) industry and the beginning of true technological subservience to foreign companies. Fujitsu's takeover of ICL will be the final nail in the coffin".**

But it was left to the other leading computer trade journal to point the finger of blame where it belongs. In an editorial aptly headlined "IT base sacrificed on altar of inaction" *Computing* observed of the takeover "The Govenment is uninterested." They can say that again.

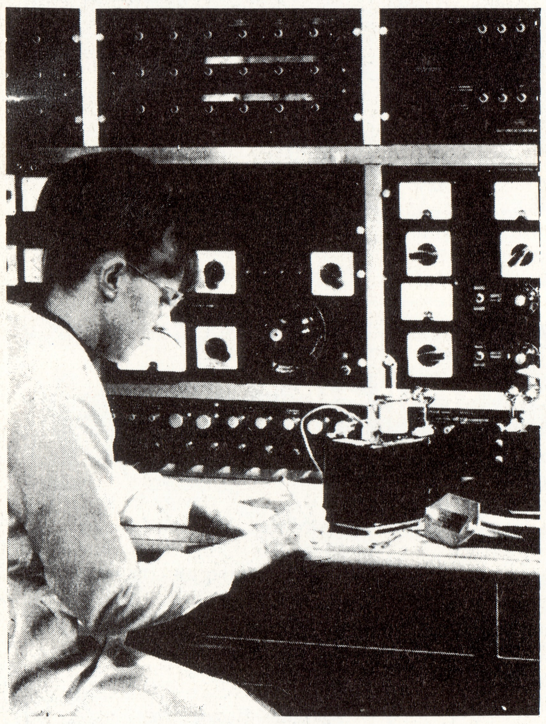
Government reaction expressed by Commons Trade and Industry select committee chairman Kenneth Warren was "It's a purely business decision. I don't think we should wave national flags about this business". So much for Tory "patriotism"! *Computing* continued: "STC (ICL's parent company) seems to have nothing more in mind than improving its bank balance and even ICL appears resigned to its fate. Such a desultory reaction to the sale of the UK's only international-class computer maker is pathetic for a nation which claims to be rebuilding its economy to face the challenges of the next century".

Computing is right. The Government allowing Britain's computer industry, the world's first and potentially the world's greatest, to be carved up by foreigners is pathetic. So is the Labour Opposition, which has abandoned any opposition to the shareholder Capitalist system which allows foreigners to buy our factories, our industries and our workers' jobs as if they were bags of crisps on a shop counter.

Only the National Front would have prevented this disaster. Only the National Front will rescue our computer industry. We will turf out the likes of Fujitsu and its scuttling little Japanese apparatchiks of British computer factories.

We will put those factories and software houses under the ownership of the British workers who produce the wealth they create. We will ban foreign ownership of any British industry. Just like the Japanese in effect do themselves.

Britain still has the brainpower to beat the world. All it takes is a Government willing to act to unleash it. All it takes is a National Front Government.



• **EARLY DAYS:** *Experiments with prototype computers. A truly British invention.*

• **SUGAR:** *Much of his Amstrad hardware is made in Taiwan.*

BRITISH BOFFINS UNDERFUNDED

BRITISH SCIENTISTS and researchers get much less money to carry out their work than those in France and Germany reports the Science and Engineering Research Council which administers Government funds for research in Britain.

While Britain spends only 2.3% of her gross domestic product on research and development, France spends 2.45%, America 2.86% and Japan 2.93%. As SERC's top official Harry Atkinson put it "Researchers in West Germany and France are paid more, they get better equipment, and they have more support staff".

Is it any wonder our best brains drain abroad? Or that Britain, which continues to lead the world, as we always have done, in brilliant new ideas and inventions, continues to see the fruits of the British brainpower enjoyed by foreigners who are prepared to fund their development? It's time for British backing for Britain's brains.

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French Greed Silences Our Birdsong!

THE SWEET tones of the Song Thrush, once one of our commonest birds, are being heard less and less in Britain today.

The Song Thrush has plummeted in just ten years from Britain's seventh most common bird to our 16th commonest, according to the Royal Society for the Protection of Birds.

So what's the reason for the silencing of this springtime songster?

In winter, many British Song Thrushes fly south to France. There the French shoot them, turn them into pate, and eat them!

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Festival of Filth

THE LEEDS International Film Festival opened on October 12th, funded by £60,000 of the city's poll-taxpayers' money.

Typical of the cultural gems on offer was a film called "How to make love to a Negro without getting tired" and an East German queers' film "Coming Out".

Bernard Atha, 'Chair' of the Council's Leisure Services Committee admitted that local people were likely to be offended by such filth but added "I think some of the films will offend because of the ideas they explore and not because they are explicit".

PRECISELY . . . !

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Changing Colour Down Under

THE ASIATIC Immigrant population of Australia is set to increase fivefold from today's 4.9% to over a quarter of the country's population in the next 50 years according to a recent survey.

Mass immigration of Chinese from Hong Kong and South East Asia has already boosted the number of Asians in Australia by over 60% in the last 10 years.

Leading Australian establishment politicians have called for even more Asian immigration because they say the country is under-populated.

Meanwhile each year it becomes more and more difficult for White Britons to gain permission to settle in Australia.

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Health Hazard!

THE UNITED States is experiencing its worst epidemic of the venereal disease Syphilis for 40 years. A study published in October revealed that the rate of infection of syphilis had risen by 60% in the last five years among the American population. Among U.S. Blacks it has rocketted by 132% in the same period.

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Desperate Measures to Recruit Asians.

YOU CAN pass or fail your entrance exam. It doesn't matter. You can meet the height qualifications or not. It doesn't matter. If you are Asian, Lancashire Police still want you!

The Force are so desperate to recruit Asians that all the normal requirements have been scrapped in their attempt. However Preston Police have denied that the Asian-only pre-recruitment courses were designed to supply applicants with answers for the entrance exam!

THE BREAKDOWN OF OUR SOCIETY

CENTRES OF VIOLENCE: ST.PAULS, BRISTOL & ILFORD, ESSEX.

Gun Battle!

OCTOBER SAW a gun battle on the streets of Bristol after an all-night party in the Easton area of the city turned sour. Police arrested four men after shots were fired during a shoot-out in Colston Road in the early hours of Sunday 14th October. A 26 year-old man was taken to Bristol Royal Infirmary with gun shot wounds.

Two days later Police were pelted with stones and bottles by youths in the St Paul's district of Bristol as they sought to interview suspects in connection with the shooting. A gang of forty-plus smashed the windows of a police car forcing the police to retreat from the area.

The lawlessness of the St Paul's area was further underlined with Police announcing they are helpless to stop the spate of highway robberies in the area. The latest victim was driving in Grosvenor Road when a gang of Black youths stopped him. One held a knife to his throat and grabbed his ignition keys as an accomplice jumped in the passenger seat and punched him in the face.

He was robbed, beaten up, his car stolen and he was left by the roadside.

The Robbery squad is now receiving up to ten reports of similar incidents every night. The only advice they can offer is **"When entering the St Paul's district make sure all your car doors are locked and the windows wound up."**

• **SMASHED:** *A police car came under fire from stone-throwing yobs.*

VICTIM OF A FRENZIED KNIFE ATTACK!

EIGHTEEN YEAR-old William Smith was knifed to death in a frenzied attack outside a public house in Ilford last month.

Detectives have now launched a massive murder hunt after the attackers all vanished without trace from the scene of the brutal attack.

William Smith and his brother Robert of George Comberton Walk, Manor Park, left Havelocks pub in Ilford town centre at closing time. At the door they were set upon by a gang of twenty youths. Both brothers were stabbed and left in the street. Although they were rushed to King George Hospital, William died of his injuries.

Dectective Superintendent John Farley leading the hunt for the gang has appealed to the public for help. *"It is vital we identify the men who vanished from the scene". The men are described as West Indian and in their early 20s.*

• **HAVELOCKS:** *In Ilford town centre where the violence erupted.*

INFIRMARY'S REAL ALE

"THEY MUST be mad!" was the response of National Front supporters living nearby Bristol Royal Infirmary after it was revealed that the hospital administration had given the go-ahead for alcohol to be sold at the general shop in the main entrance of the hospital.

One worried resident told 'The FLAG', "It will attract all the down and outs to congregate in the shelter outside the shop. It will be a blight on the hospital as well as interfering in its running.

Health Union officials also back the residents. Elaine Tayler, union branch secreatary at BRI said "Nearly 80 people have been evicted from the premises because they were drunk already this year. The sale of alcohol would make the situation worse, affect patient safety and cause untold problems for the staff".

LITTER LOUTS

by Keith Wood

BRITAIN HAS become the litter bin of Europe. Rubbish is literally piling up around us as our streets and countryside become dirtier than ever.

This year has been designated *Tidy Britain Year*, but there is little evidence that our 'throwaway' attitude is changing. Walk down your local street or look up at a railway embankment and you'll see the grim state of Britain today.

Cigarette ends, cans and sweet wrappers, thrown on the ground have helped Britain gain the reputation as the *Dirty Man of Europe* with London the dirtiest capital.

New laws designed to halt the spread of litter have not been implemented by the authorities or the courts. In two years just four people have been issued with tickets for an on-the-spot fine of £10, while last year just 1,700 litter louts were taken to court being fined an average of £40 despite magistrates having the power to impose a £400 fine!

Litter was partly to blame for the Kings Cross tube station fire and the Bradford City football ground blaze. Litter encourages rats and vermin, while black plastic bags, boxes and crates left on the pavements are a danger to the blind, disabled and mothers with prams.

The National Front is pledged to clean up Britain. The introduction of legislation to reduce the amount of litter by tackling the litter louts, as well as promoting re-usable containers and packaging would be a National Front Government's priority.

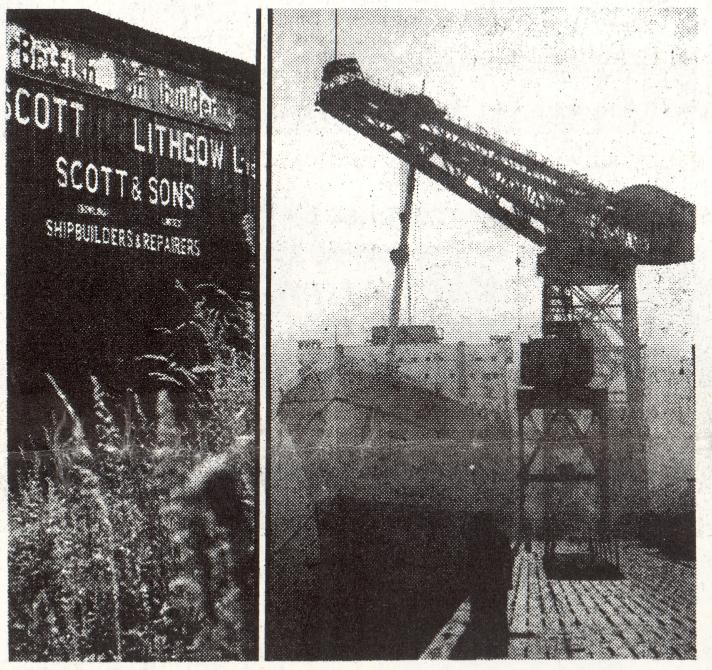
ETHNIC JACKPOT

POLL TAX payers in Halifax, West Yorkshire are up in arms after it was revealed that 14% of Calderdale Council's grants budget is to be given to ethnic minorities.

The grants include:

⋆ £19,000 for an Asian Arts Project.

⋆ £5,000 for an Asian Sports Project.



• **THE DEMISE OF BRITISH SHIPBUILDERS:** *Birkenhead's Cammell Laird yard follows in the footsteps of Scott Lithgow on the Clyde.*

Scrap Heap Of History

THE ANNOUCEMENT of the imminent closure of the Cammell Laird shipyard in Birkenhead unless a buyer can be found, was not unexpected news for the Merseyside workers. All shipyard workers have learned to live in the shadow of unemployment because of this Tory Government's neglect of what was once one of Britain finest industries.

Shipbuilding has dominated Birkenhead for more than a century. The cranes of the Cammell Laird yard arch against the skyline signalling the industry on which the town has grown. A long line of famous warships and merchant vessels have taken shape in this north-western corner of England.

The workforce of 2,000 now face the dole queue together as do a further 2,000 local workers engaged in contract services for the yard.

Cuts in defence spending is the immediate culprit for the yard's demise but proper govenment planning could have saved all of Britain's shipyards.

A National Front Government would put our shipyards back to work. The Merchant fleet would be returned to it 1973 strength and we would insist that all British exports were transported only on British vessels.

There would also be a massive investment in our submarine fleet as well as our destroyer and frigate fleets to bring them up to the required level needed for the defence of an independent sovereign state such as Britain.

The National Front would ensure the skills and expertise of generations of shipyard workers would be saved and used for the benefit of Britain - not thrown on the scrap heap of history as the Tories have done.

LABOUR BETRAYS ULSTER!

LABOUR'S Conference in October toed the line demanded by the Party Leadership and refused to allow Britons in Ulster to join or vote for their party.

Although 50,000 Ulster trade unionists pay the political levy to Labour they are not allowed to join the party they help fund. As one Conference speaker put it "Those who live in Northern Ireland are banned from joining our party, but if you live anywhere else in the world, from Baghdad to Basra, you are not."

The Labour leadership said letting Ulstermen in would undermine their commitment to the IRA's aim of a United Ireland. It would also lose the votes of millions of Irish Republicans in England and the Parliamentary support of the Irish Republican SDLP M.P.'s in the Commons.

That leaves British socialists in Ulster no choice. There is only one non-Tory, non-reactionary, British party which supports their rights as workers and as Britons they can join in Ulster. The National Front: Britain's workers' party!

Stunning Channel Tunnel Stupidity

THE GOVERNMENT'S latest Channel Tunnel gimmick is absolutely outrageous!

Electric 'stun mats' are to be laid on the floor of the tunnel to keep rabid animals out of Britain.

The mats will not kill the animals which have entered the tunnel from France, but alerted officials will be able to move in and trap them (They Hope!).

While this charade is going on the British people are expected to sit back and watch Britain become infected. The Channel Tunnel encourages rabies. The National Front says "Fill the monstrosity in!".

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What's the Price of Justice?

A WOMAN who recently admitted she had wasted police time by pretending she had been raped was fined £200. She was also ordered to pay £300 compensation to the man she had accused of the crime.

What kind of punishment is that?

There are few worse crimes than rape and the NF believes in the death penalty for rapists. But when a woman deliberately makes up the attack courts should equally take a very serious view.

Poll Tax Project

COUNCILS IN Blackburn and Burnley have launched projects to help Asians start up or expand their business. In Blackburn, Hanif Sidat and Ebrahim Kariolia will be concentrating on a bi-lingual enterprise programme as well as making available finance for new Asian businesses.

• **ADVISERS:** *Hanif Sidat and Ebrahim Kariolia helping Asian businesses.*

In Burnley the council has appointed an officer to "become involved in issues concerning the unemployment position of ethnic minorities in the Borough".

Nice to know how your Poll Tax is being spent isn't it!

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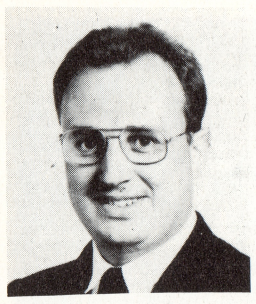
Defrauding the Poll Tax Payers

POLL TAX payers in Bristol have been defrauded of £140,000 thanks to their council's eagerness to pour money down the drain of ethnic community funding. Fraud squad detectives have been called in to investigate St Paul's Youth Council in Nicholas Road, after Department of Employment officials expressed concern at financial irregularities.

Efforts are being made to recover some of the money by selling goods bought by the fraudsters. But the money won't be refunded to Poll Tax payers. Bristol Councillor Barry Taylor wants the money to stay in St Paul's by being switched to other community projects!



BRANCH LIAISON REPORT by John Hill

FIRST MEETING IN BRADFORD

THE FIRST MEETING of the National Front in Bradford since the early 1980s took place on Saturday 13th October, right in the heart of the Bradford North constituency.

It was chaired by Mark Owens of Leeds National Front who introduced the new Bradford NF organiser Richard Brass who gave an excellent report.

Straight after the meeting Richard went out and secured the nomination signatures for Robert Tenney the National Front candidate in the Bradford North by-election. I was the guest speaker at what was a very uplifting meeting with proof of the good work being done in the area being the constant stream of inquiries from the city to the NF Information Line.

Yorkshire Regional Organiser Peter Taylor can be contacted on 0523-380767 not as previously published.

DERBY: The Derby Branch of the National Front held a very successful AGM last month. It was chaired by Sam Fairbairn of Birmingham National Front and yours truly was again guest speaker. This branch has been growing slowly but surely over the last three years. An example of Organiser Rob Rainsford's Branch efficiency is their annual social. Over 100 tickets at £3.00 a head have already been sold with all the proceeds going to the Derby General Election Fund.

HILLINGDON: A new unit of the National Front has been formed in Hillingdon, West London. They can be contacted by writing to **The Secretary, P.O.Box 111, Ruislip, Middlesex HA4 9NP.. If you live in the Hillingdon area and can help with branch work please drop them a line.**

CARDIFF: There has been in the last two months a resurgence of interest in the National Front in South Wales in general and Cardiff in particular. I'm hoping to organise a meeting there before the end of the year. It would be very satisfying if one of our 60 seats at the General Election was in this area.

WALSALL: A rally is being planned for Walsall on the theme of *'Let's have a Nationalist Voice in the West Midlands'*. The purpose of the rally is to raise funds for the General Election and start supporters on the basic tasks leading up to a successful election campaign.

Finally are there any members in areas not covered by a National Front branch that would like to help form one. I will be only too pleased to give advice and help to get the ball rolling. Please don't hesitate to either write to me at P.O.Box 114, Solihull, West Midlands or give me a ring on 021-783-3564.

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• **SPREADING THE WORD:** *Eastbourne NF candidate John McAuley with his campaign workers getting the NF message over to the electorate in the Sussex town. You can help educate the British people by leafletting your town.*

DIRECT CALL

National Front branches in some parts of the country now have their own postal address. You can contact your branch immediately for details of membership, meetings and activities. Save time and support your local unit by contacting them direct.

BECKENHAM: P.O.Box 279, Beckenham, Kent BR3 4ZT.
BIRMINGHAM: P.O.Box 114, Solihull, West Midlands. *Tel: 021-783-3564*
BOLTON & WIGAN: 3, Shurmer Street, Bolton, Lancs
BRIGHTON & EAST SUSSEX: P.O.Box 634, Hove, East Sussex BN3 5FZ.
BRISTOL & WILTSHIRE: P.O.Box 447, Bristol BS99 1SD.
CANNOCK & MID STAFFORDSHIRE: P.O.Box 3, Cannock, Staffs WS11 2SA.
COVENTRY & WARWICKSHIRE: P.O.Box 103, Coventry CV1 5TN.
CROYDON, SOUTH LONDON & SURREY: P.O.Box 76, Carshalton, Surrey SM5 4QW.
DERBY & DISTRICT: P.O.Box 132, Derby DE1 9PE.
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SUNDERLAND: P.O.Box 42, Sunderland, SR1 1DA.
WALSALL & WEST BROMWICH: P.O.Box 70, Walsall, West Midlands WS1 2FU.
WORTHING & WEST SUSSEX: P.O.Box 230, Worthing, West Sussex BN14 8EG.

NEWS IN BRIEF

■ **THE IBA have apologised in writing to the National Front for omitting John McAuley on the list of candidates they broadcast for the Eastbourne by-election. They said the mistake was human error.**

■ **THE National Front Christian Fellowship has been hitting the headlines in Eastbourne. A local bishop attacked the NFCF but his remarks led to a spate of letters supporting the NF's Christian viewpoint.**

■ **A PARISH councillor was livid after a NF leafletting session in Redbourn Village, Herts. His outburst got the NF front page headlines and the opportunity to get a letter from the NF Regional Organiser published. The councillor's name was Rosen!**

■ **LABOUR MP for Tynebridge, Dave Clelland told the Gateshead Post that he was concerned that the National Front was contesting his seat at the General Election.**

FLAG SALES LEAGUE

For Issue No. 47.

1. **LONDON NORTH (1)**
2. **BECKENHAM (3)**
3. **LEEDS (2)**
4. Croydon (4)
5. East London (5)
6. Bristol (6)
7. Coventry & Warwick (7)
8. Hemel Hempstead (9)
9. Birmingham (8)
10. Torbay & S. Devon (10)
11. Dudley (-)
12. Exeter & N. Devon (12)
13. Brighton (13)
14. Slough (11)
15. Plymouth (14)
16. Great Yarmouth (16)
17. Newcastle (17)
18. Hull & Grimsby (18)
19. Airdrie (19)
20. Derby (20)

VOTE
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• **GENERAL ELECTION CANDIDATES:** *Left to Right:* **Chris Walford** (Finchley); **Bob Tenney** (Bradford North); **John Lord** (Dudley East); **John McAuley** (Eastbourne); **Dean Thomas** (Croydon Central); **John Hill** (Birmingham Northfield); **Ian Anderson** (Bristol East); **Tina Wingfield** (Birmingham Erdington); **Mark Ludlow** (Beckenham); **Steve Brady** (Bow & Poplar); **Bob Jones** (Torbay); **Edward Whicker** (Birmingham Hodge Hill); **John Hamilton** (Liverpool); **Norman Tomkinson** (Coventry South East); **Martin Wingfield** (West Bromwich East); **Paul Ballard** (Slough).

ADMINISTRATION REPORT by Tina Wingfield

LETTERS CURE ELECTION BLUES

THE GREATEST antidote for by-election blues is delivered by the postman - It's the letters to the National Front Administration Office. The Friday morning after the depressing Eastbourne result over thirty letters were delivered.

New members, loads of enquiries, Friends of the Front, donations, all-in-all well over £140 in cash and cheques and a real pick-me-up. Politics is all ups-and-downs. The key to success and survival is to not let the downs get you down!

The National Front has made a substantial outlay on the two by-elections. With no active units prior to the elections in Eastbourne or Bradford, administration had to fund the campaigns. The final figures have yet to be collated but at present we have spent over £2,000.

This has made a dent in our current account which we must put back. Straight donations to the National Front is the best way to prepare this damage. Can you help?

At a time when the party is in the thick of fighting elections money is the over-riding factor in the administration department. It makes it very difficult not to fill this whole column with pleas for money but I shall try to talk of other things.

The Computer has been the best investment the National Front has ever made. Every day new functions for it can be found to ease the job of administration. Keeping a full record of accounts is the latest success.

The mini-bus too has been a great success story. I managed to get down to Eastbourne twice to help with the by-election and seeing the van draped in Union Jacks and *Vote National Front* posters broadcasting patriotic music really raised the morale. I understand it has also made half a dozen trips to Bradford already and at the time of writing the election is still ten days away.

Of course you can't mention the mini-bus without a word of praise for our hard-working chairman Ian Anderson, for he has the responsibility of driving it. Last Wednesday he overdid it. In one day he tried to:

- Pick up the Bradford Election Address from Sussex.
- Deliver it to Bradford.
- Discuss tactics with campaign workers in the constituency.
- and speak at the Great Yarmouth Branch meeting on his way back to London.

Ian nearly managed it all, only heavy traffic on the A1 defeated him and Tom Holmes and his members were left without a speaker. It is this sort of committment from the Party's most senior official that is an example to us all.

Finally, as always, many thanks to those **Friends of the Front** for their monthly contributions.

General-Election FUND

PREVIOUS TOTAL £554.00.

Donations Received

S. Guy (Leeds) £5.00; S. Chaney (Essex) £20.00; J. Casson (Mid-Staffs) £5.00; N. Keilty (B'ham) £20.00; J. Williams (B'ham) £10.00; K. Hanson (West Yorks) £15.00; D. Clarke (Edinburgh) £25.00; D. Davies (Cornwall) £50.00; M. Wall (Worcs) £10.00; J. Hudson (N. London) £10.00; P. Thompson (West Yorks) £10.00; J. Kerrigan (N. Devon) £10.00; R. Best (N. London) £5.00; B. Humphreys (Cambs) £10.00; J. Clark (Worcs) 20.00; R. McClarnon (Surrey) £10.00; Miss L. Keilty (B'Ham) £5.00; C.Syborn (Kent) £5.00; J.O.Casson (Staffs) £5.00; G. Ridewood (Exeter) £3.00; G. Allison (Telford) £5.00; K. Hanson (West Yorks) £7.00; AGM £882.30; B. Humphreys (Cambs) £6.00; M.S. (Hillingdon) £25.00; W. Martin (B'Ham) £5.00;

Total: £1,744.50

BY-ELECTION FUND

Anon (Eastbourne) £10.00; B. Jones (B'ham) £300.00; R. Smith (Cornwall) £10.00; R. Jaggard (Kent) £10.00; R. Wilson (Brighton) £10.00; R.Revell (Worthing) £20.00; T. Badger (Eastbourne) £20.00; R. Smith (Cornwall £5.00); Anon (Bradford) £5.00;R. Smith (Cornwall £10.00; R. Jaggard (Kent) £10.00; P.Thompson (West Yorks) £5.00; Anon (West Yorks) £10.00;

Total: £425.00

MEMBERSHIP FEES

Membership Fee for 1991 will be a flat rate of £10.00. No Reductions

TURN THE TABLES

BACK IN June, Coventry City Council stated through the local newspapers that they were taking legal action against the National Front after *The FLAG* had exposed IRA propaganda being taught in Coventry schools.

In fact it is the National Front that has turned the tables on the council and the booklet has now been suspended from use.

Prime Minister, Margaret Thatcher, in a letter to a Member of Parliament putting forward the case for Coventry National Front wrote *"The Secretary of State will be providing a full reply to your letters as soon as possible. Meanwhile the Department of Education and Science understands that the booklet 'Ireland - the Army' has been suspended from use by the school.*

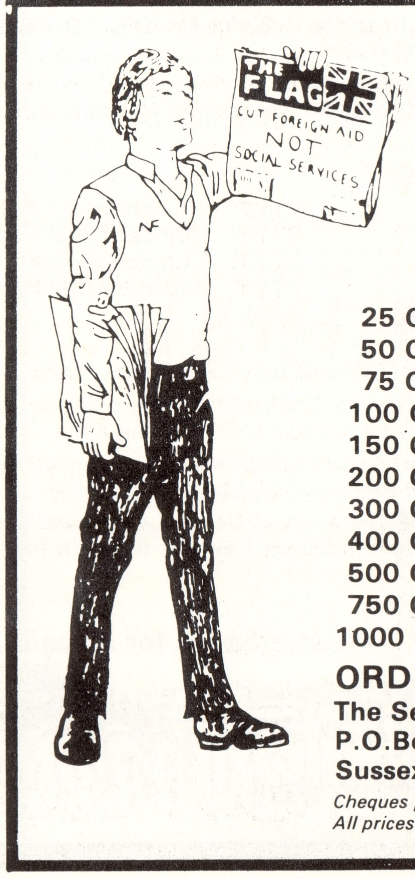
What an excellent example of how a campaign by a National Front branch got action on a local issue.

OBITUARY

IT IS with our deepest regret that we have to announce the death of our friend and comrade Tom Thornton.

Tom died suddenly on October 1st aged 44 years. He was a member of the Medway Branch of the National Front until he moved to Leeds and joined the Leeds Branch in 1986.

Tom was renowned for his humourous spirit when he spoke at Leeds Branch meetings. He will be sadly missed by all his friends in the National Front.



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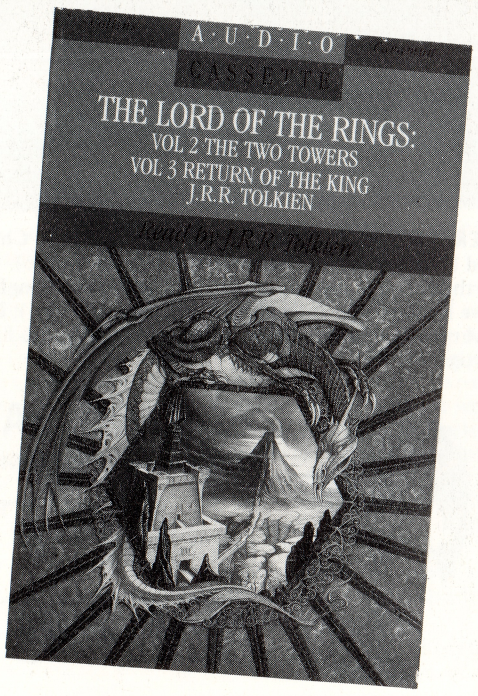

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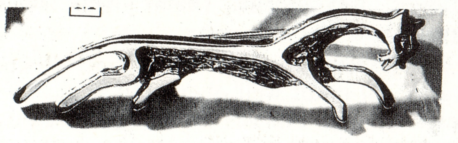

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FACING EXTINCTION

The British are a Dying Breed

THE BRITISH PEOPLE are dying out, according to the latest official Government figures, released recently. In its autumn Population Trends Report, the Office of Population, Censuses and Surveys revealed that there were only 688,000 live British (and Immigrant) births in 1988 (the latest year for which complete figures are available. Fewer than in any year since 1982.

The fertility rate, the number of babies born per woman, is down to 1.80 - *"well below the 2.1 level which leads to the long-term natural replacement of the population"*, the official report warned.

As part of the general decline of our population, the average age of women giving birth rose to 27.4, the highest average since 1962. As women give birth later to fewer babies, this is expected to rise in the next ten years to 28.7.

As fewer British babies were being born, more were being killed by the Government. 20% of all British babies conceived were killed before birth, compared with a 16% abortion rate in 1978. Meanwhile 20% of all women born in 1965 will die childless, twice the percentage among women born in 1945.

The underlying cause of this slide toward our extinction as a people also emerged from the Government figures - social decadence manifested in the steady decline of the family. 41% of all babies born were conceived out of wedlock, compared with 40% in the previous year and 25% in 1978. 25.6% of all babies went on to be born out of wedlock, denied a happy and stable family background. In 1979 this figure was only 10.9%.

Those born in such a background cannot rely on it lasting. 7% of children will on these latest figures experience a divorce in their family before reaching the age of five, 12% by the time they were eight and 24% - nearly a quarter - by the age of 16. Compared to under 10% in 1961. The report warned *"If divorce rates were to persist unchanged at 1987 levels, just under 40% of current marriages would ultimately end in divorce"*. In fact, divorce rates are continuing to rise. Not surprisingly, in a society in which the Government and the media extol ruthless selfish greed and self-gratification as the highest virtues.

The outlook for our people's future is even grimmer than these figures at first suggest. For the 1.80 fertility figure, for example, covers all "British citizens", including Coloured Immigrants who are not part of the real British people and whose birth rates are often much higher. According to the OPCS, the fertility rate for Pakistani Imigrants here is 6.1 and for Bangladeshis 8.0.

That means the British White birthrate is even lower than 1.8. We are in truth a dying breed. By the middle of the next century, we will be an ethnic minority in our own country. After which Britons will pass the way of the dodo and the dinosaur into extinction.

THE LESSON WE MUST LEARN

"If Rome had not been engulfed by so many men of alien blood in so brief a time, if she had passed all these newcomers through her schools instead of her slums. . . if she had occasionally closed her gates to let assimilation catch up with infiltration, she might have gained new racial and literary vitality from the infusion, and might have remained a Roman Rome, the voice and citadel of the West. The task was too great.

The victorious city was doomed by the vastness and diversity of her conquests, her native blood was diluted in the ocean of her subjects. "

William Durant,
Caesar & Christ.

THE LESSON WE MUST LEARN

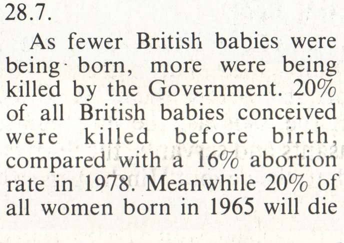
UNDER the Saite kings, foreigners poured into Egypt and formed a growing number of permanent colonies. Many of these groups were no longer poor men - economic refugees - forming a category of second class citizens who could be used for unskilled labour, as in the past. These immigrant colonies were often richer and more skilled than the native Egyptians.

The proud kingdom of the "Two Lands" was now technically backward compared to the rising cultures of the first millenium B.C. Indeed, the Saite kings, to raise taxes, even awarded privileges - forerunners of later 'capitulations' - to foreigners.

At Naucratis, Greek traders were allowed a city of their own; a Greek style polis, where Greek law, customs and religion flourished; not essentially unlike the older colonies of Magna Graecia now scattered about the Mediterranean coasts. Thus trade, once a royal monopoly, fell into alien hands. It was only a matter of time before the rest of the country became booty.

The Decline & Fall of the Pharoahs.

Victims of Thieves & Agri-business



• VICTIM: *The Red Kite*

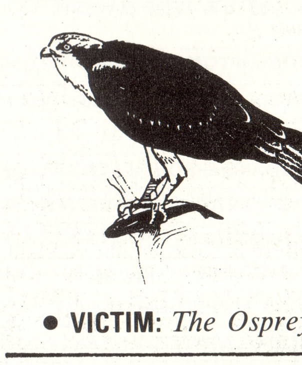
1990 WAS a mixed year for Britain's rare birds. The osprey, once nearly extinct, had its best year this century in Scotland, with 62 pairs raising 87 young, according to the Royal Society for the Protection of Birds. But seven nests were robbed by egg thieves, who sell their loot to international rings of perverted collectors, notably in Germany and America.

The Welsh Red Kite was worse hit by egg thieves, with eight nests robbed. But, as with the osprey, constant vigilance by volunteer nest guards paid off. 63 pairs raised 70 young.

Bad weather impaired the breeding success of our most magnificent bird of prey, the Golden Eagle, this year. Many of Scotland's 400-450 pairs, and England's one pair in the Lake District, failed to find enough food to reach breeding condition.

Agri-business continues to hit the once common corncrake. Already in decline on the mainland, in Ulster a recent change from traditional haymaking to silage production, at Common market instigation, *"has brought about a catastrophic fall in corncrake numbers"*, according to the RSPB. Fewer than 45 calling males were found this year, compared to 130 in 1988. Only in the Outer Hebrides, last bastion of traditional British family farming, is the corncrake holding its own.

It is not just Britain's people the spread of cosmopolitan greed hurts.

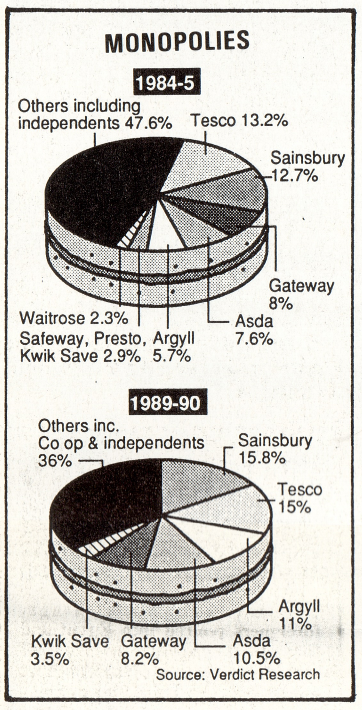


• VICTIM: *The Osprey.*

BIG FOUR CUTS OUR CHOICE

THE DOMINATION of the food business by four huge supermarket chains cuts consumer choice and prevents the development of new foods, the Consumers' Association said on October 9th.

In a report, the shoppers' watchdog revealed that Sainsbury, Tesco, Asda and Argyll - which tries to hide its monopolistic antics behind bogus names such as "Safeway", "Lo-Cost" and "Presto" - now control more than half of all the food sold in Britain. Less than five years ago, their share was under 40%. In the same period, the practice of the big four chains closing ranks and squeezing out smaller rivals has driven the share of the market held by independent small businessmen and Co-ops down from 47.6% to 36%.



Slicing up the Supermarket Cake

The Consumers' Association say the steady takeover of our food supply by these monopolistic Capitalist combines reduces shoppers' choice, encouraging the stocking of mass market "high return" items such as frozen junk food at the expense of healthier alternatives. The Association highlights the fact that fruit and vegetable growers have been forced to use more pesticides because the big chains demand standardised products. This damages the environment and risks poisoning the public with dangerous chemicals.

BUY IN BULK

The growing monopoly of retail food sale encourages a similar growth of monopoly further up the supply line. Big food producers can afford to bribe the big stores with massive discounts because the big stores buy in bulk nationally. This undercuts the small producers and drives them out of business.

The food monopoly has been "investigated" twice by this Tory Government, once in 1981 by the Monopolies and Mergers Commission and once in 1985 by the Office of Fair Trading. But since the big corporations fund and in effect own the Tory Party not surprisingly both official investigations came to nothing. The gobbling up of our food industry by monopolists went on unchecked.

WORKERS' CO-OPS

Only the National Front is pledged not just to halt but to reverse this harmful trend. We will break up the big chains and put the retail trade back into the hands of small family businesses and workers' co-ops, whose competition will benefit the British shoppers.

● **BURNING ISSUE:** *A Hindu student would rather go up in smoke than accept equal status with an Untouchable*

Steve Brady blows the whistle on Britain's Hindu Community

IMMIGRANTS The Biggest Racialists

ASIAN IMMIGRANTS are always moaning about 'racist' Britain. But they include some of the biggest racists in the world. Racially-inspired divisions among the Hindus, the religion to which nearly all Indians belong, have killed over 200 of them in the last two weeks. Now those divisions have emerged among Indian Immigrants here.

The root of these bloody divisions among Hindus is the caste system. This divides them into four castes. The highest is the Brahmin caste, originally the priests. Below them come the Khshatriyas, the warriors. Then the Vaisyas, the merchants. Then the humblest caste, the peasants and servants, the Sudras. At the bottom, beneath caste and, to the devout Hindu, beneath contempt, are the *Untouchables*.

The Hindu religion, the religion of hundreds of millions in India and hundreds of thousands over here, teaches that they are subhuman filth. Even the touch of an *Untouchable*'s shadow pollutes an Asian of caste, who must rush at once to the temple to be ritually cleansed.

The caste system, the core of Hindu belief, is based on pure racialism. The castes are meant to, and originally did, reflect racial divisions between White conquerors and Brown conquered peoples.

The caste system started out over 3,000 years ago as a system of total racial apartheid explicitly designed to preserve the White European blood of the 'Aryans', who swept in to conquer the native Brown Indians around 1500BC. The Aryans set up the castes on racial lines, with the highest castes the Whitest.

The *Untouchables*, outside caste, where known as *dasas* in the ancient Hindu sacred language Sanskrit. *Dasas* means 'Coloureds!', because the *Untouchables* were the Coloureds, the darker natives and members of the primitive Veddoid jungle tribes on the level of Australian aborigines.

HIGHER CASTE

Much race-mixing has gone on in the 35 centuries since. But even today some higher caste Brahmins could pass for Southern Europeans.

Traditionally, the 'Coloured' *Untouchables* were confined by the high-caste Hindus to the dirtiest jobs. Racial discrimination against them is at the heart of the Hindu faith - not something trendy Religious Education teachers tend to stress over-much in our schools today!

An attempt by the Indian National Front Government in recent months to reverse this by *positive discrimination* in favour of *Untouchables* has sparked fury there. Higher caste Hindus - whose kin in Britain are the first to demand *positive discrimination* here - are not only the first to complain when they get a taste of their own medicine. *Being Asians they indulge in constructive political gestures such as hanging themselves and setting themselves on fire.*

Since the *positive discrimination* measures where announced in new Delhi on August 7th, over 100 Hindu students have attempted suicide in protest at being forced to mix with those they see as racially-inferior - 40 have died. The *Untouchables* hit back on October 9th by locking 47 high caste Hindus in a railway carriage, pouring petrol over it and setting it on fire, burning them to death.

All this has spread caste war to Hindus in Britain. Graffiti denouncing *Chamal* - Punjabi for Untouchables - has started appearing on walls in Asian ghettos here, and *Untouchables* have themselves been speaking out against their treatment by higher caste immigrants.

On October 11th in Bedford, Ram Raj complained *"We are victims of prejudice by our own fellows - Indians of higher caste who are determined to keep us in our place. They protest about apartheid in South Africa but treat their brothers like dogs".*

Mulkiet Bahal from East London, revealed that in Britain there were pubs for high-caste Hindus and ones for the Untouchables, because the higher caste Indians won't drink from a glass polluted by an untouchable. *"They say we are impure by birth and degrade them"* he said.

Meanwhile, the Asian Immigrant papers in Britain drip with basically racialist caste discrimination. A Lonely Hearts advert in the London *Indian Mail* for instance. **'Attractive British Gujerati Brahmin seeks any Brahmin female aged 21 to 28'** is typical **Dasas need not apply!**

Caste splits the Indian Immigrants in Britain down the middle. A Patel of the Vaisya merchant (*corner shop*) caste looks down on a Gopal, whose surname brands him an *Untouchable*. He may even refuse to serve his fellow Asian in his shop. He certainly wouldn't let his daughter marry one! According to Krishna Gathre, a former Race Relations Board employee, "A woman of high caste came to us" (the Race Board!) "complaining that she had been allocated a council house next door to an Untouchable. She said it would be quite impossible for her to live there".

WAKE UP

No doubt it is only a matter of time before the caste wars now bloodily raging in India spread here. In the meantime, Britons should wake up to what Asian Immigrants in this country really believe. They may talk multi-racialism when it helps them against us natives. But among themselves they are as racialist as anyone in the World. Race is the basis of one of their main religions. They discriminate as an article of faith against people they think are "Coloured".

Any Indian who says a word against the National Front is a hypocrite. So are White multi-racialists who denounce National Front racialism whilst preaching 'tolerance and respect' for the far more racialist Hindus.

There is one law for these immigrants and another for us. As far as we are concerned the Hindus can practice their beliefs as long as they do it in their own country. After all, if they don't like mixing with Coloureds, why should we?

COMING SOON!

The Roots of the British

by Steve Brady Chairman of the National Front Policy Department

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Eastbourne Victor

MAKE NO MISTAKE there was only one victor of the Eastbourne by-election and that was the IRA.

A loyal supporter of Ulster and a British MP with the courage of his convictions was murdered by the IRA. A man who stood head and shoulders above his fellow MPs at Westminster no longer plays a role in the affairs of our country.

He has been replaced by a Liberal Democrat, a member of a party whose policy on Ulster leads to the same conclusion as that of the IRA - a betrayal of the British people of Northen Ireland.

Ian Gow's successor should have been John McAuley of the National Front. He was the only candidate fit to step into the shoes of Ian Gow, yet he was largely ignored by the Eastbourne electorate.

What an indictment of Britain today. The IRA can blow up a Member of Parliament and two months later his former constituents ratify that action at the ballot box. The voters of Eastbourne are a disgrace to their fellow countrymen.

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A Good Word

I NEVER THOUGHT I would have had a good word for former Tory Prime Minister Edward Heath, but in the twilight of his life the man who took Britain into the Common Market has made a sign of attrition.

The sight of Heath, with his swollen ankles and feeling the obvious discomfort of the heat in Baghdad yet bargaining for the release of British hostages, proves that in all men there is some good.

At least he has made an effort to get some British hostages out of the nightmare of the Gulf situation. It is what our Government should be doing day in and day out.

Instead of wasting taxpayers money sending troops and arms to the Gulf we should be sending diplomats to secure the release of every single British citizen detained there.

The affairs of Iraq and Kuwait are nothing to do with Britain. We are not the policemen of the world. Let the Arabs sort out this Arab affair and let us just GET OUR PEOPLE HOME!

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Time of Change

MARGARET THATCHER USED to command the respect of her political opponents. Even members of the National Front had to admit that her actions in the Falklands War met with their approval.

But all that is gone. She now commands no respect. The traumas of more than a decade in office have taken their toll and now, despite all the efforts of her image makers, she appears to the public as she is - an elderly lady totally out of touch with the British people.

Kinnock as Prime Minister is a horrendous thought but barring miracles that appears to be the fate awaiting us after the next General Election.

There are changes in store on the British political scene and once a change is made there will be considerable fluctuations in the fortunes of political parties contesting future elections.

Consistency will be the quality the British people come to respect as the political parties change their policies in an effort to win votes. No political party has been more consistent in their policies than the National Front.

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LAW & ORDER THE ISSUE

EDWARD WHICKER is a family man with two teenage children. Born in Central London 40 years ago, he now resides in Croydon where he has worked for the council for the last 10 years.

Eddie is a staunch supporter of law and order and believes that the British people, especially our elderly have been betrayed by the old parties.

He believes that Britain must remain loyal to Ulster and that the army must be given the power to deal with IRA terrorism.

Eddie has been a member of the National Front for ten years and a great asset to the Party during that time.

A Doctor Speaks Out Against The Slaughter of Unborn Children

AT A TIME when the rights of various "minority groups" are loudly proclaimed, it is worth remembering that a very large majority group in our land has virtually no rights whatsoever - the unborn child.

As a result of new legislation passed in the House of Commons on April 25th this year, we now have about the most liberal abortion laws in Europe.

Under the Infant Life (Preservation) Act 1929, it was an offence to destroy a child capable of being born alive. This effectively outlawed late abortions, certainly after 28 weeks of pregnancy and, in practice, after 24 weeks, because sophisticated medical care has increased the chances of survival of infants born even at this stage of pregnancy.

MERE ANXIETY

Under the new Human Fertilisation and Embryology Bill, however, abortion will be available up to birth when there is a risk of *"grave personal injury to the physical or mental health of the pregnant woman"* or risk of serious foetal handicap. Since *"risk to mental health"* can be interpreted in medical circles as meaning mere anxiety, which is almost normal in pregnancy, the new legislation effectively opens the way for easily available abortion right up to birth.

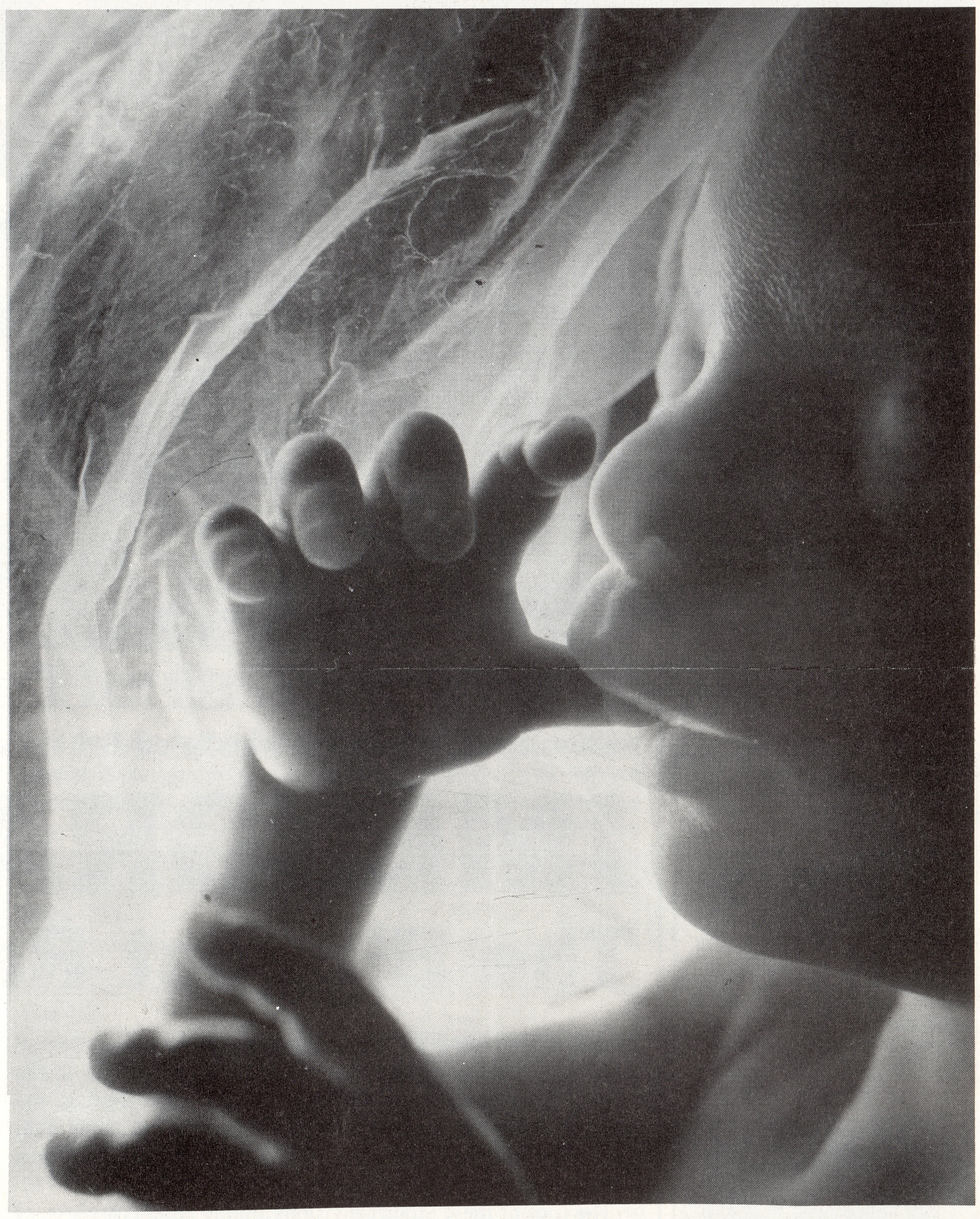
Our so-called *"pro-family"* Government has shown its true face with their record on abortion reform. Sir Geoffrey Howe, Leader of the House, Kenneth Clarke, the Secretary of State, and Virginia Bottomley, the Minister for Health, led the anti-life campaign in the House of Commons, along with David Steel, Liberal Democrat and author of the 1967 Abortion Act. Neil Kinnock and the majority of Labour MP's, with some outstanding exceptions, are well-known for their pr-abortion views. Only the National Front is officially anti-abortion and a National Front Government would purge our Nation of this terrible scourge. As well as backing the NF, we also owe our support to the anti-abortion agencies in this country.

Let us remember that the baby in the womb is not part of the mother's body. It has a life of its own which is sacrosanct and no parliament, doctor or pressure group has the right to destroy it. At the end of April, Cardinal Hume courageously proclaimed what is by now obvious to all of us: that, in consequence of the "appalling" decisions in Parliament, Britian could no longer be called a Christian society.

HOLOCAUST

The wholesale slaughter of unborn children is a veritable Holocaust, for which our nation will one day have to pay dearly. We need a concerted national effort now to reverse the trend before it is too late.

The baby in the womb is not part of the mother. It has a life of its own



Driven to Drink

THE TORY Party Conference at Bournemouth recently was an even more dismal and lack-lustre affair than usual; rather like the reading of a will where all those present learned of absolutely nothing to their advantage.

As befits representatives of the only party fit to rule, Madam Thatcher's gormless gaggle of wimpish ministers made gallant attempts to exude confidence and carefree jollity during the "debates" - even to the extent of telling jokes. Alas, the effect was akin to that of undertakers trying their hands at being stand-up comedians - the jokes emerged painfully and laboriously before falling flat with a ghastly thud amid sympathetic titters from the party faithful.

Even the statutory standing ovations were well below par. Madam Thatcher's, for instance, lasted a mere nine minutes as against last year's world record eleven, though this could have been due to the fact that so many Tories were too drunk to stand up.

Indeed the only real enthusiasm generated was during the "debate" on the Middle East where one and all agreed that the fiendish Saddam Hussein should be hanged, drawn and quartered for forcing up the price of petrol to a point where the cost of running a Mercedes or a Porsche was so ruinous that it made a patriotic chap's blood boil.

As we all know, Tories are very keen on sending someone else's sons off to be killed and there was genuine anxiety that if the present stalemate persisted, peace might break out before there were enough British corpses to underwrite a new Falklands factor snap election. It was all terribly dispiriting.

Even the traditional Tory Conference Ball could not dispel the gloom and was tinged with suspicion and mistrust. The Young Tory nerd who had been delegated the horrid task of waltzing Madam Thatcher through the first dance had been taking dancing lessons for months and managed to survive the ordeal without tripping over his own feet. This is so unusual in the Tory party that he was marked down as future ministerial material.

Alas, his demeanour during the ordeal was that of a male Black Widow spider during the mating dance with his cannibalistic mate - on tenterhooks - while hers was one of stoney faced resignation. Moreover, it was noticeable that during her sombre gyrations, Madam Thatcher insisted on carrying her handbag over her arm. Well, we know that she is determined to bring down the crime rate and that she has her finger on the pulse of the Tory Party. Clearly she knew well enough that if she had been foolish enough to lay her handbag down, some Tory would inevitable have privatised it - i.e. nicked it.

It was all enough to drive a chap to drink or, as we now know, a drunk to drive.

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The Great Plague

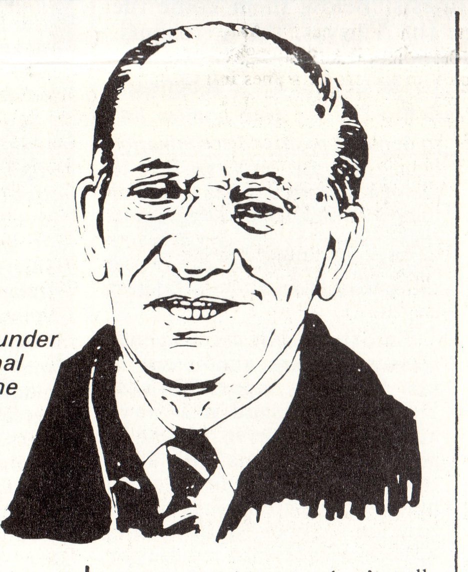
NEWS THAT scientists have proved that Mad Cow Disease can be transmitted to pigs has caused grave concern; not only among veterinarians but also political analysts investigating the prevailing chaos within the Conservative Party.

Those who have witnessed Tories tripping over their own feet, foaming at the mouth, and trampling each other underfoot in order to get their snouts in the trough first have long assumed that it was merely another outbreak of Swine Fever; a common occurence and endemic among Tories since it was first diagnosed at Gadarene in the year dot. It was suspected that the outbreak might be in some way connected with their diet since nobody was casting pearls before swine any more and they were having to make do with the family silver.

The Ted Budden Column

Ted Budden was a founder member of the National Front. In his column he gives his view of the world.

His comments and observations do not necessarily reflect NF Policy.



However, it now seems clear that Mad Cow Disease, the pestilence that has been raging in Downing Street for several years now, has finally infected the rest of the herd, the Tory rank *(none ranker than they)* and file.

This is a desperately serious matter since, apart from the apes, the physiology of swine is closer to that of humans than any other animal. Swine are, in fact, almost human; so, of course, are Tories. Clearly drastic measures must be taken to prevent the Tories infecting the healthy part of the population.

Quarantine is an obvious measure but would seem to be impossible to implement since Tories are to be found grubbing about all over the place.

A massive cull of the Tory Party has also been mooted but has found little favour since they are, after all, almost human and one does have one's almost humanitarian principles.

No, the best way of stamping out the dreaded plague is simply to isolate them as far as possible and simply wait for them to carry out the suicide pact they've all already made with Margaret Thatcher.

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Unfair to the IRA

I SEE that that august body The Press Council is soon to be abolished and is to be replaced by yet another of Madam Thatcher's "self-regulation bodies"! Well, we all know that "self-regulation" in the City means that nobody steals so much at any one time as to excite comment. I suppose that "self-regulation" of the great British Press will simply mean that no single edition will contain so many lies as to encourage the gormless British public to recall Aneurin Bevan's description of the Press as "the most prostituted in the world".

Now, in what is possibly its parting shot, the Press Council has excelled itself and confirmed all our worst suspicions. For it has upheld a complaint against the *News of the World* and censured that paper for publishing figures that would wrongly suggest that all the murders in Ulster since 1968 had been committed by the IRA.

Well I mean, isn't it absolutely rotten that the decent lads and lasses of the IRA, whose only crime is to murder and terrorise British people, should be subjected to this kind of defamation? That's not fair comment and might actually cause people to dislike the IRA who, as we all know, are kindly folk with smiling Irish eyes, their hearts on their sleeves and oh, just a little blood on their hands.

Either the world has gone mad or it's me and I don't think it's me.

Just one other point; why hasn't the person who made the complaint been detained under the Prevention of Terrorism Act? Come to that, why hasn't the Press Council?

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Nigel, Double Agent

ON THE first day's trading in the City after Britain joined the European Exchange Rate Mechanism, a frenzy of share buying sent the F.T.Share Index zooming upwards as the punters clamoured to jump on the bandwagon; all for no sane or sensible reason. The following day, share prices fell back to their original levels as the market riggers took their profits, leaving the mug punters to count their losses.

Afterwards, it was suggested to Mr Kenneth Baker, the insufferably complacent Chairman of the Tory Party, that this proved that the Stock Exchange was merely a gambling casino that had no connection with the real economy. Not so, responded Baker huffily; the Stock Exchange was composed of hard-headed businesmen with their fingers firmly on the pulse of the real economy. To suggest otherwise revealed a socialist outlook.

It is clear that in the present state of the Tory Party, not only doth the left hand not know what the right hand doeth, the right hand doesn't know either.

For it was only eighteen months ago that Nigel Lawson, then Chancellor of the Exchequer, stated that he regretted having been influenced by the state of the Stock Market which he now believed *"had no connection with the real economy"*.

Now I see that Nigel Lawson has announced, rather hastily, that he will be leaving Parliament at the next election. Can it be that the Tories have at last unearthed the socialist mole responsible for all their misfortunes?

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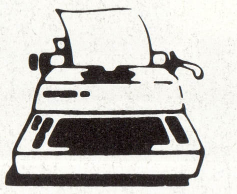
Speaking the Same Language

I SEE that Mr Tom King, formerly the spectacularly unsuccessful Northern Ireland Minister and now the spectacularly unsuccessful Defence Minister, has been off to the Gulf to ensure that there is proper co-ordination between the British and American forces (ie. that we are doing what we're told) and that there is a proper chain of command (ie. that the Americans are doing the telling).

Just so. Since we were dragged into the Gulf on America's coat tails it has always seemed certain that we would continue to do precisely what the Americans ordered and so it has proved. Nevertheless, Mr King, a doughty defender of British interests, has managed to negotiate a deal whereby the British commander will have access to the American High Command and will be *"consulted"*, though whether this will be before or after the event is unclear. Nevertheless, yet another British triumph.

But then, of course, Mr King has a great advantage in dealing with the American forces since he and they speak the same language. You see Mr King's own military experience was as an officer with the King's African Rifles. Judging by the racial composition of the American forces in Saudi Arabia, the common language is almost certainly Swahili.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR



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Let's Be Proud to be British

I RECENTLY went into the Phoenix pub in Broad Lane, Coventry and was absolutely flabbergasted when the landlord told me to wear a coat or leave the pub!

Why? Simply because the design on my T-Shirt was, according to him, political and was offensive and provocative to many people. The T-shirt design was a bulldog and the slogan '100% True Brit - The Empire Strikes Back!'

There were people in the pub wearing 'Stuff the Poll Tax' T-shirts but he obviously deemed them politically acceptable.

What a shocking state of affairs. I was in trouble in a British pub for wearing a pro-British T-shirt. Surely if my T-shirt upset anyone then it should be they who should leave the pub.

Isn't it time true Britons really nailed their colours to the mast, and wore patriotic T-shirts more often? Let's be proud to be British.

Mark Payne,
Coventry,
Warks.

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SECRETARY OF STATE FOR FOREIGN

• **COMPULSORY:** *All foreign politicians arriving in Israel must visit the Holocaust Memorial.*

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Black Crime Busybodies

IT TAKES a brave man to write about Black Crime today!

The Race Relations industry is run by Blacks and their White disciples and they have ensured that anyone who does so is branded as 'racist'. The only time it is permissible is if you are condemning judges and police for victimisation of Black people.

I thought your readers might be interested to hear about an outfit called *The Race Relations Group of the Council of Churches for Britain and Ireland*, which is delving into matters that should not concern it.

It says there are too many Black prisoners in British jails - 16% of men and 28% of women. Their answer to this problem is to call on magistrates and judges not to send black criminals to prison.

What a lot of baloney.

John Chippendale,
Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

Mitigating Circumstances

I HAVE written to *The FLAG* on numerous occasions detailing various aspects of Isreal, Judaism, and Jews living in Britain. None of my letters have been published which leads me to believe that *The FLAG* is joining the ranks of establishment newspapers putting a D-Notice on certain topics.

However I must try again. Douglas Hurd's visit to Israel. BBC Television News showed Mr Hurd visiting the Holocaust Memorial at Yad Vashem and the broadcaster tells us that all foreign politicians visiting Israel must pay their respects there before any talks with the Israeli Goverment can begin.

Mr Hurd was visiting Israel to remonstrate about the murder of 21 Palestinians by the Israelis, but visiting Yad Vashem prior to the talks must put him at a disadvantage. Let me explain. If a man, up in court for some crime or another, is allowed to tell the jury his version of his life story, embellished with all the injustices he had suffered and the reasons why he committed the crime, before the trial even starts, how the hell can you expect the jury to judge the evidence of the case on merit?

In my humble opinion Douglas Hurd should have told the Israelis, *'No I'm here to discuss the murders on the Mount, I'll see your museum some other time'.*

Peter Laidlaw,
Paignton,
Devon.

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Good For Us White Natives!

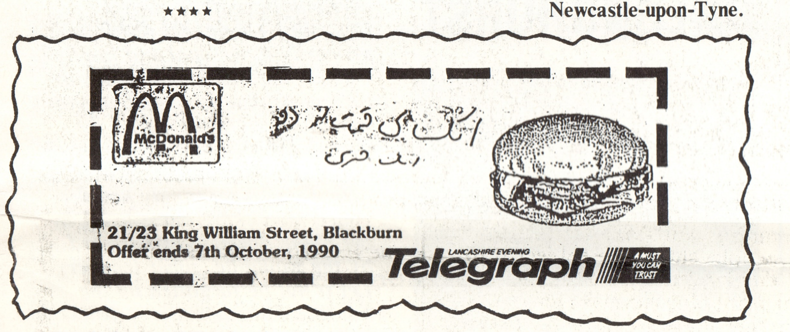
EVEN as I write, Enid Blyton is being 'restructured' so as to take into account the multi-faith, multi-cultural, multi-racial society which our 'Masters' would have us believe is rather spiffing and good for us the 'White Natives of Britain'.

Why it has been considered that the word 'gay' is now not suitable for our children, and heaven forbid have *Big Ears* and *Noddy* in bed together. Where has innocence gone? It has been written out of our children's books by the very same people who find sodomy quite acceptable for consenting adults and would like to teach schoolchildren that *'D.C. is OK Ja'*.

Then of course the new Toytown must reflect the 'Multi- this that and the other', by having Asians, Negroes, Chinese and 'Mingled Peoples' in the crowd scenes in the pictures. No doubt new chararcters will be introduced like *Abdul the Shopkeeper, Hot Mahn the Rasta,* and *Chow Lee* the Chinese take-away man just to bring the multi-racial message home to our children

What ever will they re-write next in their efforts to brainwash us - maybe the *Merchant of Venice* - he could now let off all his debtors under his Third World forgiveness scheme!

Paul Snell,
Ilkeston,
Derbyshire.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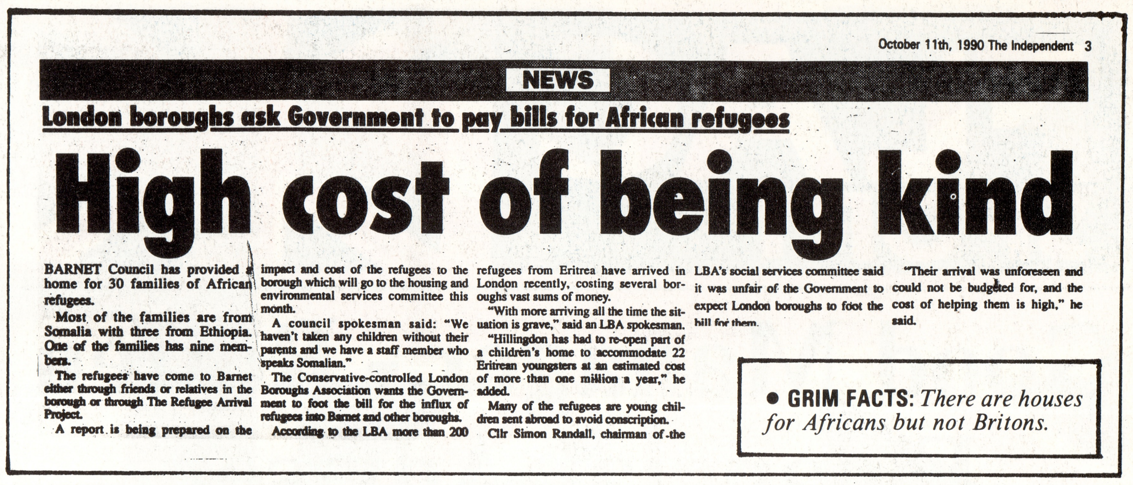
Hidden Halal Message?

AN ADVERT for McDonalds in Blackburn, in the *Lancashire Evening Telegraph* was accompanied by some Asian writing. Now I'm a suspicious person and I don't believe the writing, which is possibly Urdu, just says *'Yum, Yum, what a lovely beefburger!*.

The only possible reason for the Asian text would be to attract Asians to McDonalds by offering them something special, namely Halal Meat in their burgers. If that is the case I think the British people should be told. Ritual slaughter is a barbaric practice and is not wanted in Britain. Just like McDonalds, it is something very alien and foreign and should have no place in our High Street.

Mrs S, Knight,
Nelson,
Lancs.

★ **ED: Can anyone translate?**



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NEWS

London boroughs ask Government to pay bills for African refugees

High cost of being kind

BARNET Council has provided a home for 30 families of African refugees.

Most of the families are from Somalia with three from Ethiopia. One of the families has nine members.

The refugees have come to Barnet either through friends or relatives in the borough or through The Refugee Arrival Project.

A report is being prepared on the impact and cost of the refugees to the borough which will go to the housing and environmental services committee this month.

A council spokesman said: "We haven't taken any children without their parents and we have a staff member who speaks Somalian."

The Conservative-controlled London Boroughs Association wants the Government to foot the bill for the influx of refugees into Barnet and other boroughs.

According to the LBA more than 200 refugees from Eritrea have arrived in London recently, costing several boroughs vast sums of money.

"With more arriving all the time the situation is grave," said an LBA spokesman.

"Hillingdon has had to re-open part of a children's home to accommodate 22 Eritrean youngsters at an estimated cost of more than one million a year," he added.

Many of the refugees are young children sent abroad to avoid conscription.

Cllr Simon Randall, chairman of the LBA's social services committee said it was unfair of the Government to expect London boroughs to foot the bill for them.

"Their arrival was unforeseen and could not be budgeted for, and the cost of helping them is high," he said.

• **GRIM FACTS:** *There are houses for Africans but not Britons.*

Africans First!

I WAS handed this press cutting by a very irate Scottish lady. She came to London with her family three years ago and approached Barnet Housing Authority with a view to obtaining a council house. She was told *"Housing is very scarce in the borough, your best bet is to go back to Scotland".*

She has tried again since without success. She returned this week and asked if any accomodation was available, again 'No' was the reply.

The lady in question then produced this article from the N.W. London *Independent* and gave it to the housing officer to read. Needless to say he was embarrassed but had no comment to make.

This is just one of thousands of similar incidents that happen daily in Britain. Incidently Barnet is a Conservative Borough - not one of your Looney Left strongholds.

The Scottish woman told me how her father fought in both world wars, was captured by the Japanese and sent to a concentration camp. When he returned home his family couldn't recognise him such was his ordeal. My friend assures me she will be voting 'National Front' in future.

Bernard Franklin,
Aylesbury,
Bucks.

ASHLEY TO ASHES

LAURA ASHLEY, THE High Street ladies' clothes and furniture shop, is in serious trouble. On September 28th the firm announced the closure of seven factories and the loss of 1500 jobs around Britain. The reasons sum up the problems of the present economic system in Britain: debt, share speculation, and lack of import controls leading to the flooding of the home market with the produce of foreign sweated labour.

Laura Ashley rose to become a multi-million-pound household name as a British family firm owned and run by its founder, Mrs Ashley.

She started out selling her home-dyed teatowels and table napkins, going into full-time business in 1956. As a family firm the business prospered. Its feminine, romantic looks, personally created by Mrs Ashley, incensed lesbian feminists and "power-dressing" female yuppies alike. But it struck a chord with many normal family-oriented women, especially in Britain. And the firm prospered.

Until Laura's husband Bernard got greedy and "floated" the company on the Stock Exchange at the time of Laura's death in 1985. The shareholder sharks moved in. Laura Ashley was turned into a multi-national and in the process landed with vast debts, which rising interest rates turned into disastrous liabilities.

Meanwhile its multi-nationalisaton led to cheap labour factories being set up in Hong Kong and Portugal. These inevitably undercut the firm's British workers. Cheap shoddy foreign-made goods started to flood in, damaging Ashley's reputation among discerning lady shoppers but making more fast bucks for the shareholders, and fewer jobs for British workers.

As Ashley's Chairman Sir Bernard Ashley said on September 27th, *"It is no longer viable to source the current level of garments worldwide from our British factories when products of a similar quality can be bought at significantly lower cost from suppliers abroad".*

• **FEMININE:** *Laura Ashley struck a chord with many women.*

The rise of Laura Ashley shows what a family business selling quality goods rooted in healthy native British culture and family traditions can achieve. The sort of British business the National Front wants to encourage.

The fall of Laura Ashley shows the harm wrought by cosmopolitan multinationalism, shareholder speculation and use of cheap foreign Labour.

Black Jack

WITH the present make-up of ethnic races in Britain wouldn't it be a good idea to change the blue in the Union Jack to black.

This would then be more representative of the current British race and would stop the racists in our society taunting us with the phrase: "They're ain't no black in the Union Jack."

Ansad Khan, Banner Road, St Pauls.

The Final Straw

THEY SAY it's the final straw that breaks the camel's back. Let's hope it's one immigrant demand too many that wakes the British people up!

They have changed our laws and now they want to change our national flag.

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Greville's Own Goal.

LABOUR MP Greville Janner, together with 'Searchlight' magazine reported the National Front to the Data Protection Board claiming the NF had not registered details of its new computer and the type of information it was storing.

In fact the NF had registered just days after the computer had been installed.

Data Protection found this complaint very interesting because before any complaint is investigated the credentials of those making the complaint are investigated to ensure they are bona fide.

A spokesman for Data Protection told the National Front, "We discovered that 'Searchlight' is an old sparring partner of the National Front. We also found out that they are storing data on their computer and have not registered. Searchlight magazine is now under investigation".

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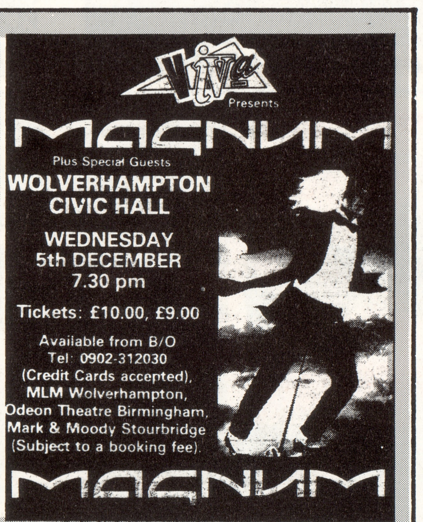
Gay Rabbis

A COMMITTEE of Rabbis in the progressive Reform Branch of Judaism recommends that no restrictions be imposed on qualified gay and lesbian Jews who want to become rabbis.

However orthodox British Jews have expressed concern. A spokesman thought it unwise for a homosexual rabbi to be involved in the circumcision ceremoney where 'a steady hand is an essential requirement!"

MUSIC REVIEW *with Bob Nash*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Magnum Magic!

THE INFLUENCE of British Heavy Rock on the music scene as a whole can be seen by the continued success that British bands enjoy in both Europe and America. MAGNUM, one of the best known Birmingham bands, are another example of this winning British trend.

Having gained themselves great prestige with a series of albums over the last six years that have included *Eleventh Hour, On A Storyteller's Night* and *Vigilante*, MAGNUM are now receiving attention from an increasingly growing American audience who have at last succumbed to the band's unique brand of Heavy Rock.

I'm pleased to report that MAGNUM's latest album *Goodnight L.A.*, aside from the LPs title, contains no advert Americanisms to make it commercially successful and is simply another fine collection of rock and ballads. Songs which show a British band clearly proud of their roots.

The opening song 'Rocking Chair', a recent successful single for the band, shows their music at its best - melodic but powerful. Other songs on the album include 'Reckless Man', 'Matter of Survival' and 'Born to be King', all fine songs that have already found their way into MAGNUM's live set.

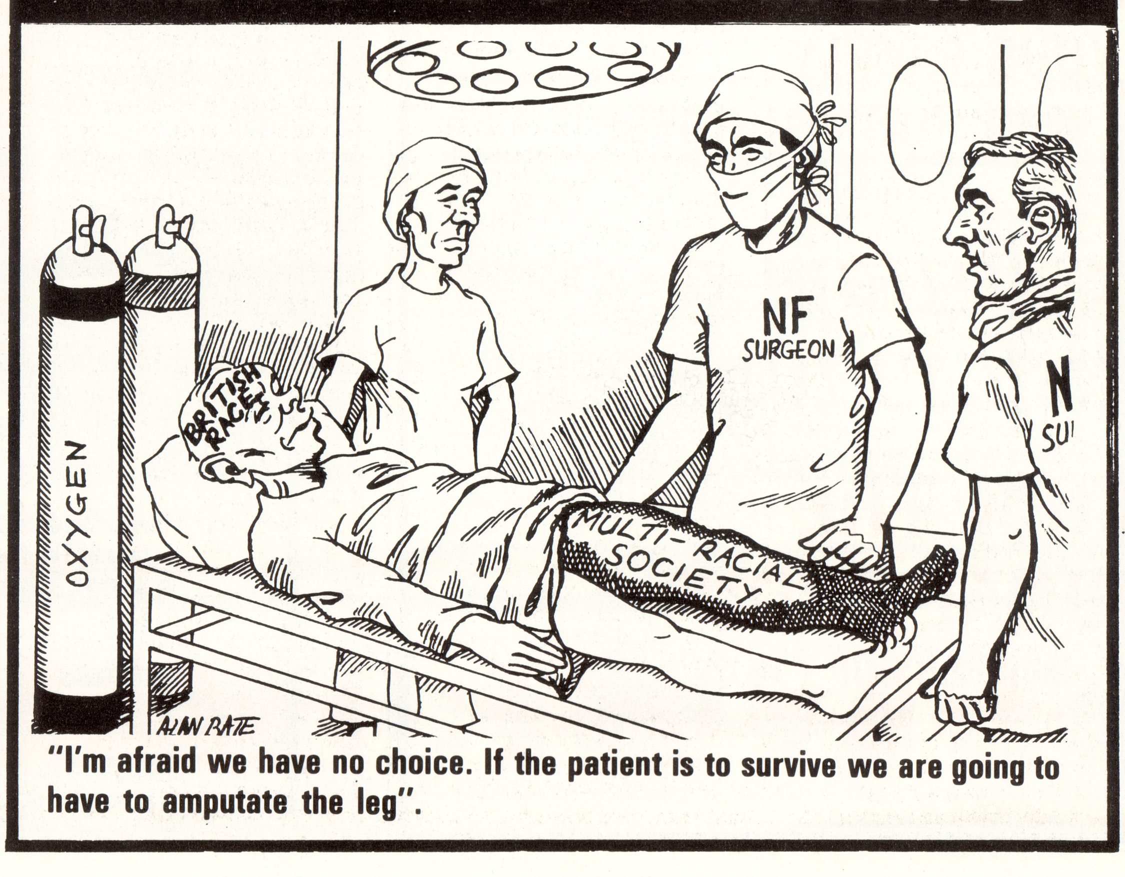
MAGNUM's recent UK tour has been another thumping triumph and with the continued success of *Goodnight L.A.* in the album rock charts, MAGNUM's magic is clearly working on a loyal and growing White audience.

WORDS OF WISDOM

"The man who makes no mistakes does not usually make anything"

Edward John Phelps,
(1822-1900).

THE WORLD OF ALAN BATE



"I'm afraid we have no choice. If the patient is to survive we are going to have to amputate the leg".

Thought for the Month

"Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends".

John. Chapter 15, Verse 13.

FLAG SPORT

Good Manager - Rotten Financial Adviser

Burlinton

JACK CHARLTON, the Republic of Ireland manager, believes Burlinton Financial Services of Peterborough offer good financial advice. He says *"If you want good advice regarding re-mortgages, then speak to the professionals who care. You owe it to yourselves"*.

The former England 1966 World Cup star might now be a successful manager of Eire but what he knows about finance can be written on the back of a postage stamp.

It's not good advice to invest with Burlinton Financial Services.

⋆ BFS is run by Joga Singh who claims to give advice 'that's sounder than the pound'.

⋆ Joga Singh has a string of County Court judgements against him for unpaid debts.

● **JACK CHARLTON:** *Responsibility to the public not to be exploited.*

● **JOGA SINGH:** *One failed business after the other.*

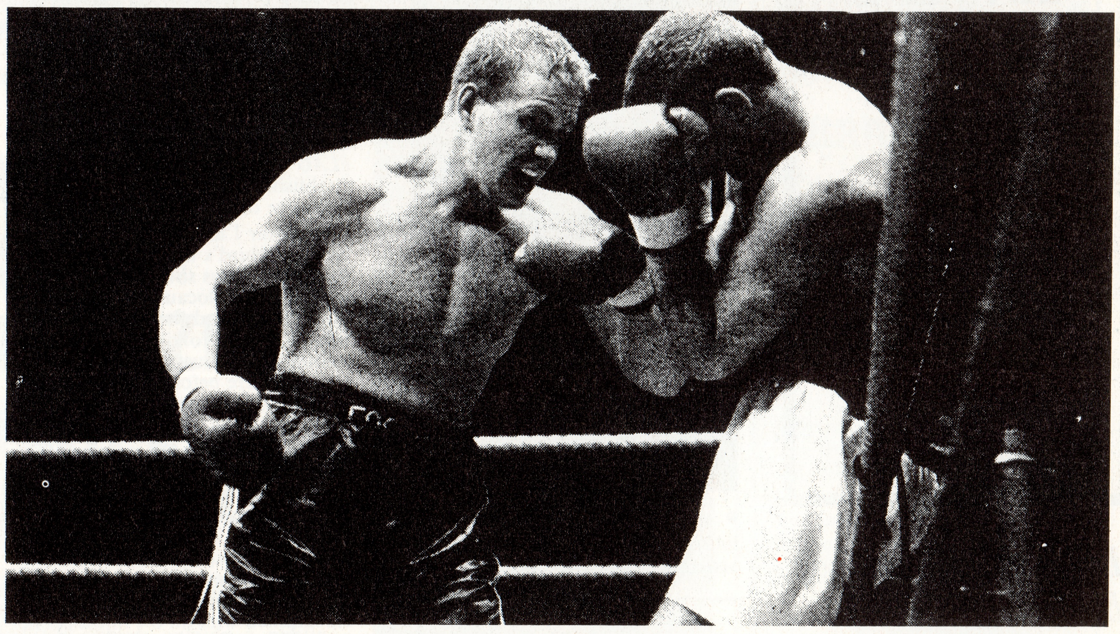
⋆ His last firm Peterborough Finance failed after just 18 months.

⋆ He also operated a Mortgage Shop which went bust and was compulsorily wound up owing £55,000.

The public looks up to our sporting celebrities. As such the likes of Jack Charlton, have a responsibility to ensure that in no way that respect is exploited by others. Joga Singh exploited Jack Charlton and that is something the former England international shouldn't have allowed to happen.

Still, Big Jack was not alone in being duped, Legal & General were backing Singh as one of their mortagage advisers, totally unaware that one of his businesses had gone bust.

OUR GREAT HEAVYWEIGHT HOPE!



● **ON THE ROPES:** *Adam Fogerty builds up an impressive lead over Newcastle's Paul Lister.*

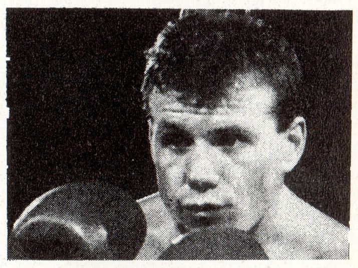
SWEET REVENGE FOR ADAM FOGERTY

BRITAIN'S GREAT White heavyweight boxing hope, Adam Fogerty from Halifax, avenged the one defeat on his professional boxing record when he halted Newcastle's Paul Lister on a cut at Dewsbury Sports Centre at the end of October.

The scheduled 10-round bout which carried an official eliminator tag for the British Heavyweight Championship ended prematurely 24 seconds into the eighth round with blood flowing freely from a gash very close to Lister's right eye.

There is much to like about Adam Fogerty. His loyalty to the boxing venues of the North for a start where bouts are hard and the audience not easily satisfied.

Unlike the media-puffed Bruno and Mason, Adam Fogerty is coming up the hard way, a baptism which will hopefully see him installed as a truly British Heavyweight Boxing Champion in the not too distant future.



● **FOGERTY:** *Future Champion?*

OVER THE JUMPS

OLYMPIAN REWARDED 'The FLAG's' punters during October and Philip Hobbs provided us with another couple of winners of which Guiburn's Nephew obliged very nicely at Newbury at 3-1.

Jumping starts in earnest during November and we are looking to WELSH OAK and FU'S LADY to add to their tally already this season in top class handicap chase company.

As far as novice hurdlers are concerned Toby Balding's MALMSBURY is one to follow after a very pleasing introduction at Cheltenham.

Princess Gives Warning on Drugs

● **PRINCESS ROYAL:** *Warning to doctors and lawyers.*

THE PRINCESS Royal has given a timely warning on the ever-increasing role of drugs in sport.

"As our athletes continue to break world records some will stoop to base levels and unfair methods in the attempt" she writes in a foreword to the book *Medicine, Sport & the Law.*

The Princess Royal warned that the conduct in British sport will not improve if doctors and lawyers seek ways to break the spirit of laws and regulations.

European Water Ski-ing Champions

BRITISH COMPETITORS maintained their fine tradition at the JPS European Water Ski-ing Racing Championships in Jersey.

British skiers won 54 of the 75 individual medals with Darren Kirkland from London winning the Formula One series.

Skill, endurance and sheer bravery are the key ingredients in a sport that can only be likened to a racing car pulling someone on a skateboard at high sppeds around a bumpy track. The engines of the top boats have a capacity of up to 8.2 litres, and travel at speeds well in excess of 100 mph.

● **CHAMPION:** *Darren Kirkland.*

Bookies Get Their Pound of Flesh

BRITAIN'S BOOKMAKERS have once again fleeced the Britain's horse racing industry by holding down its levy to a paltry £41.5 million for 1991-1992.

For how much longer are the big bookmakers going to be allowed to carry on in this manner. Tote monopolies in France and Australia put back £200 and £220 million respectively into their racing industry.

The bookmakers' miserly investment in British horseracing is a perfect example why Britain should have a Tote Monopoly.

DAVID LONGHURST

● **REMEMBERED:** *David Longhurst*

"The fatality at Bootham Crescent places into proper perspective the values we tend to overlook in football. David Longhurst's untimely death is primarily a personal and family tragedy but one which serves to remind us that this young player was much more typical of the game than the Gascoignes, more important than the Maxwells.

"Here was a seemingly healthy young man eking out a living in the lower divisions so despised by the would-be 'super leaguers'. Let it not be forgotten by the Football League's more influential members that it is these bread and butter nurseries who indirectly provide the cream for those so beloved of television. Moreover, it is they who serve to sustain the Football League in depth, enhancing a reputation that is the envy of the football world".

THIS LETTER to 'The Times' from Monica Hartland, Deputy Chairman of the National Federation of Football Supporters Clubs encapsulates all that 'The FLAG' believes and has espoused over the last four years about football in Britain today.

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